## The Intelligencer.

nt seems to be taking pains the production of Jute He had an opportunity to take his meas ure as a great man these days, and to compare his importance since the shrinkhis proportions a few years ago. Th panic has been a terrible leveler for all to any experiments that sorts of values. It has squeezed not only ur soil in the but simply that he was not able to shoot much game of late years. He could not like the famous suspenders; that is, com work of feeders and connections for his

of the country. Unfortunately, however, for a career of prosperity, not for adversort of criticisms that were heaped upon his management we quote as follows from pound (and he says of it is worth 5 and 7 cents) would give ertimes the value of wheat or corn

what is Jute, and how is it raised? sy tell us all about it. This we are

pm, and in appearance like a coarse ay to the paper mills for

and it is, in fact, a part of the demoral oads, barges, &c., it zation and corruption of the times. No would now cost the United States one undred million dollars for its grain, pie and potato sacks. This calculation s based upon the assumption that all the lags are made of jute. If the material wald be still greater. In 1876, the cotcotton, flax or hemp, the expense on trop of the United States was about (500,000 bales, and at the ruling rates the cost of the gunny-cloth in which this mitin was sent to market was not less than \$3,900,000.

cording to the statistics of the Commis store, the profits of the domestic manu-acture of jute are worthy the attention despitalists, and we are impressed from the facts set forth in his report that an Stant branch of industry might be with up in Wheeling, in converting the userial into various articles of Mrcs. He says that in 1876 the rolu on the manufacture of 19,000,000 seads of jule was more than \$2,000,000. comption in the United States over 300,000,000 pounds. In 1876 be mills at Saint Louis alone manufac and 6,000,000 yards of jute bagging During the last five years over 170,000, is the United States.

ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

TO THE DAILY INTELLIGENCE!

## CONGRESSIONAL.

A Semi-Test Vote on the Tariff Question in the House,

The Nova Scotia Fisheries---Sena tor Blaine Discusses the Award

lions of Money for a Few Small Fishes.

The House joint resolution to prescribe the time for the payment of the tax or listilled spirits was passed as it came rom the House.

Mr. Christiancy from the Committe the Judiciary, said he was directed majority of the committee to report i the bill to repeal the bankrupt law. to what was finally done at the meeting esterday, but the discussion had a hu-

ing on the question, from which it appears that the total value of the catch, in the inshore fisheries, by American fishermen, during the four years the treaty, has been in operation, was only \$485,170, on which the profit was probably \$190,000. This covers the entire catch for which we obtained the right under the treaty. During the same four years the duties on Canadism fish and oil rematted by our government amounted to a million and a half dollars in gold, and now under this treaty we are compelled to pay half a million per annum in addition, or two million dollars in gold, for four years. In other words, by the remission of duties and the payment of cash from the treasury our payment of cash from the treasury ou payment of cash from the treasity of government is called on to pay three and a half million dollars in gold for the privilege of permitting our dishermen to make a profit of \$100,000 on the inshore fisheries of Nova Scotia. Considerable comment has been made in the country.

WASHINGTON. President Hayes on Senato Howe's Speech.

Commissioners. I mention these facts to show that I spoke with full authority when I suggested that the verdict readered at Haifax was not legally binding under the terms of the treaty. Its payment must be justified on other grounds, and I have already intimated more than once that considerations entirely outside of the legality or justice of the award might constrain us to assent to its payment, but it should never be paid without such profest as will forever prevent its WASHINGTON, March 26.—A number of members of Congress, friends of the President, called upon him this morning with reference to the speech of Sountor Howe. They all expressed more feeling Howe. They all expressed more feeling in the matter than the President himsel

better acquainted with him and appreciated his conduct more.
President Hayes was willing to be judged by the same tribunal. He don't appear in the least disturbed by Senator Howe's speech, believing that time will fully vindicate him. Among those who called on him were Senators Mathews, Hoar, Cameron of Wisconsin, and Ferry, and Representative McCook, of New York.

Ex-Representative G. W. Schofield, of Pennsylvanis, will be nominated by the President to be Register of the Treasury in place of Hon. John Allison, deceased. The subscription to the 4 per cent loan to-day amounted to \$172,000.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE

The Senate Finance Committee to-day decided to recommend the passage of House joint resolution extending to three years the time for the payment of taxes on distilled spirits. Several members of the committee reserved the right to oppose the measure in the Senate.

The House Judiciary Committee to-day agreed to report favorably on Senate bill annulling the act of the Wyoming Legislature creating a new judicial district in

that correspondence recently published mote than justified all he said in regard to extraordinary efforts of Lord Gram-ville to force Delforse upon our govern-

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that bids will be received at the Treasury Department for delivery at the San Francisco Mint of silver in bara or foreign coin, to be paid for in coin a New York or San Francisco, as desired

The bill reported by Mr. Christiancy rom the Senate Judiciary Committee

rom the Senate Judiciary Committee, o-day is as follows:

Be it enacted, &c., That the bankrupt aw approved March 2,1867, and all acts or supendmentary theretoor in explanation thereof, be and the same are hereby repealed; provided, bowwer, such receal shall in no manner or in explanation thereof, be and the same are hereby repealed; provided, however, such repeal shall in no manner invalidate or affect any case in bank-ruptcy instituted and pending in any court prior to the day when this act shall take effect. But as to all such pending cases and all future proceedings therein, the acts hereby repealed shall continue in full force and effect until the same shall be fully disposed of in the same manner as if the said sots had not been received.

repealed.
The House Committee on Naval Aftairs has agreed to report favorably the

The Senate Finance Committee to-day

Secretary Schurz was not able to go to his office to-day, but is now out of bed. His trouble is overwork—14 or 15 hours daily labor.

UTE INDIANS. The House Committee on Indian Affairs has agreed to substitute the Senate bill for the bill in the House, authorizing the Prevident to make a treaty with the Ute Indians of Colorado, they surrendering their reservations in Colorado and concentrating on one reservation on the White river.

Weather Indications.

WERLINEY AND CRAIMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CRIEF SEVEL OFFICER.
WASHINGTON, D. C., MATCH 27-1 A. M.)
PROBABILITIES.
FOR TENDERSEE and the Ohio Valley For rennessee and too Calo Valley, warmer and clear weather followed by increasing cloudiness and rain areas, South winds and falling barometer, followed at the west stations by a rising barometer and colder northwest winds.

For the Lower Lakes, warmer and partly cloudy weather, with rain areas, southeast winds and falling barometer.

Robbers Identified. New York, March 26.—John Roberts, Wm. Bartlett and Geo. Martin, charged with robbing Warren Lane, cashler of the Planet Mills, Brooklyn, on Saturday, were identified more fully to-day. Keeper Shenley, of the Penitentiary, recognized Roberts as harming left the Penitentiary two weeks ago. He was sent up for robbing the Williamsburg Bank.

A Big Deficiency. Chicago, March 26.—A meeting of the Methodist Ministers of the north west was held to-day, and a report was submitted by the management of the Garret Biblical Institute showing that the endowment fund comes some \$200,000 short of maintaining the Institution. A committee was appointed to consider a plan for raising the deficiency and to report to a subsequent meeting.

NewPORT, R. I., March 26.—A fire in the officers' quarters at Ft. Adams, caused a loss of \$25,000. HALP A MILLION FIRE ON CANAL STREET

out this morning in a six-story marble front building, Nos. 260 to 257 Canal street. The flames spread with rapidity nd a third alarm for fire engin

PHILADELPHIA LOSSES.

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—The loss caused by last night's fire at 4th and Cherry streets is estimated at about \$800,000. St. Lous, March 26.—The livery stable of Thos. P. Russell & Son, 1808 Frank-lin avenue, was destroyed by fire this morning. Loss \$30,000.

Another Meeting of the Pennsyl vania Railroad Stockholders. PHILADELPHIA, March 26,-Thestock

TOPEKA, Ks., March 26.—About 25 men appeared at the jail in this city at 2 o'clock this morning. Only two entered

Terrible Dynamite Explosion The House Postoffice Committee to day practically spreed to strike out of Mr. Waddell's bill, providing for the classification of mail matter, the clause prohibiting Express companies from carrying mail matter of the first and second class.

Gun Powder Water Works at Monte Bello, two miles from the city, this morning, instantly killing M. O'Rourks prohibiting Express companies from carrying mail matter of the first and second class. Lyon, an assistant, was terribly injured, and Patrich Gallighan, aged 16, fatally

Spicided With a Rifle.

Nasnyille, March 27.—A special to the American from Huntington states that Elvira, daughter of Squire Elijah Scales, of that place, whot herself through the heart with a rifle by applying her foot to

The revenue officers report having broken up eleven illicit distilleries in Putman and White counties since the 18th

Wm. M. Tweed and the Court NEW YORK, March 26 .- William M. Tweed was taken to Court as a witness for the city, to-day. He declined to answer, and in explanation read a paper stating, by the advice of counsel, that he will give no evidence or information for the State or city until the promise made by the officials of both to liberate him, on condition of giving testimony, be fulfilled. ndition of giving testimony, be fulfilled.

Fifth Victim of the Magenta Ex-

New York, March 26.—William Fleming, who was injured by the explosion on board the river boat Magenta on Saturday, died last night, making the 5th death. Burchars Constant and two boys are missing since the disaster. The Grand Duke and the Sultan

San Stepano, March 26.—The Grand Duke Nicholas with a suit of twenty will Duke Atchoise with a solt of twenty win proceed to morrow in the imperial yacht Livadia to visit the Sultan, who will im-mediately return the visit at one of the palaces placed at the Grand Dakes dis-posal, or on board the Livadia.

Seaboard Pipe Line. BUFFALO, N. Y., March 26,-The citizens in mass meeting last night urged the passage by the Legislature of a bill authorizing a general pipe line to con-nect the petroleum wells with the sea-

Bonds Recovered.

NEW YORK, March 28.—A Petersburg dispatch says the arrest Saturday of the four New York robbers has already resulted in the recovery of Mr. Young's bonds to the amount of \$350,000.

The operatives at Fall River, Mass., AND MOLANSES.

Just received, a lot of strictly prime N. O. Mo issues and fuguar, which are offered to the trade at issue and fuguar, which are offered to the trade at its gures.

FOREIGN NEWS.

ENGLAND.

The Peace Question from a Brit ish Standpoint—The Times of How Russia Ought to See It. LONDON, March 26 .- The final answer from St. Petersburg to England's ques-ion whether the entire treaty of San Sta-ano will be submitted to Congress, is

on will be submitted to nziously awaited.

The Times expressed the opinion that he more prudent Russian statemen, even the Carr himself, ought to be ready to amooth the way for the assemblage of Congress. The contention of our government is justified, in substance, by Eastern and though the remaining objection and though the remaining objection and though the remaining objection and the fattle, it is

Semi-official organs have declared the treaty of San Stefano utterly unacceptable, but the fact is equally certain that Austria don't support England's demand concerning the form of its submission to the Court of the submission of of the submission

A Vienna correspondent says that a reconstruction of the Triple Alliance is preparing for the purpose of opposing the British policy. To this end, says the correspondent, Russia is offering Austria every concession, and he believes that the negotiations will succeed. From other advices this seems to be an exaggerated pro-Russian view. Austria's objections are to the whole Treaty of San Stefano.

Failure of the Peace Congress refusal to participate. ake part if all signatory powers wer

epresented.
The Soir states that the Council of Min isters renewed this resolution.

Marquis De Gabriac has been appointed Ambassador at the Vatican.

adambased or at the Vatican.

London, March 26.—A special from Pera reports that the Sultan received Grand Duke Nicholas with the utmost courtesy and cordinity. Diplomatic intercourse has been renewed, and Gen. Nilidaff has been appointed Charge D'Affaires at Constantinople.

The following is from St. Petersburg: "Those having direction of affairs here appear to have very little hope of the solution of the present dead lock, although the holding of the Congress without England would have the advantage of isolating her and consolidating the triple alliance. It is regarded as more probable that the Congress will not meet at all. The whole question seems to be sinking from the sphere of reason to that of passion."

Change of Ministers. BERLIN, March 26.—Dr. Achenback russian Minister of Commerce and Pub io Works, resigned yesterday. The Na-ional Gazette confirms the report that Herr Hobrecht, Chief Burgomaster of Berlin, has accepted the Ministry of

Obituary.

HARTFORD, March 26.—George Roberts, President of the Hartford Carpe company is dead. Dexter McCreary and Fortune Bush colored) were hanged at Barnwell Court House, New York, Friday, for the mur-der of Stephen Enicks, his wife and two

children. After killing the parents, the murderers fired the dwelling and the children were burned to death.

Eyansville, March 26.— Weather clear. River 16 6:10 feet and falling. Business active.
Sr. Louis, March 26.—Arrived—Fleming, Pera, Lady Lee, Peoria, Rob Roy, Keokuk; Futute City, New Orleans; St., Genevieve, Memphia. Departed—City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg; Rob Roy, Keokuk; Lady Lee, Peoria; Future City, New Orleans.

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MEATS AND LARD-SUGAR

WHEELING, WEST VA., WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 27, 1878. The Pennsylvania Railroad. Tom Scott is having a lively time with

is stockholders. The meetings of late

resemble bear garden scenes. The one at

Philadelphia on Monday, and again yes

terday, like the one held a week ago,

presented a picture that must have been

interesting for the Colonel to look upon

ages of the panic with the immensity of

water but conceit out of values. Not

that we mean that Col. Tom Scott is not a smart man (for we believe he is)

around the corner with that famous gun

for a man and short enough for a boy

and conservative enough for a period

There was some point in these critims, harsh as they were. The special

ies, and the fellows who run the politi-

day:

"After the reading of the committee's report the music began. General Todd repeated his assault upon the ment, and called upon them to rise and quash the preposterous scheme. Steinmetz, Chairman, defended his miority. They were Potter defended his miority. They were Potter defended his miority. They were the control of the management by the Senate a few days ago on the funding that he speak to-morrow upon the understanding that he speak to-morrow upon the quasible that he speak to-morrow upon the Mill, and with the consent of Thurman it was laid aside and retains its place as the senate a few days ago on the funding that he speak to-morrow upon the management by the senate of the senate

put through some Texas-Pacific job? Such lavoritism smacks of corruption wonder Tom Scott's stockholders resent it.

BALTIMORECITY owns three and a half millions of the stock of the Baltimore & Ohio road, John W. Garrett one and a half millions and Johns Hopkins estate one and one-fourth millions. It is now said that the road did not earn its last semi annual dividend of three per cent. Whether it will declare one in April remains to be seen. Every effort is being made to reduce expenses. Sometime ago the Company took ten per cent off the salaries of its attornies along with the rest of its employes.

the trouble. The period for which it pays will be ended in five years, it pays will be ended in five years, it pays will be ended in five years in the privilege for inshore fisher inshore fisher in the canal manual the matter and the company took ten per cent off the salaries of its attornies along with the rest of its employes.

The Death of Major Wilson. Special to the Cheinasti Enquire.

San Antonio, Texas, March 25.—Last
Friday Captain R. P. Wilson, commanding Fort McGavitt, was seriously injured
by the accidental explosion of a shot gun, ing Fort McGaritt, was seriously interesting by the accidental explosion of a shot gun, and he died to day. His body will be transferred to Wheeling, W. Vs., where his relatives live, for interment, Captain Wilson was a noble man and a brave and

Ohio Legislature.

COLUMBUS, March 26.—In the Senate
House bill requiring Prosecuting Attorneys to obtain consent of the court before
entering nolls prose gui in criminal cases.
Senate bill making it a penitentiary offense for male school teachers to have

efficient soldier.

BY TELEGRAPH.

of the Fish Commission. A Costly Bit of Diplomacy---Mil-

SENATE. WASHINGTON, March 26

REPORT ON THE BANKRUPT LAW.

the Pacific Railroad sinking fund bill and Mr. Merrimon spoke in favor of the bill reported by the Committee on the Judi-

The United States.

We proceed these figures to our farmers as in region for their consideration, as in region for their consideration. These for male school teachers to have rainy door people. We hope that number of comments are people. We hope that number with the comments of great interest to very sary door people. We hope that number with the comments of great interest to very sary door people. We hope that number with their consent, were passed. As measage received from the Governoom with their consent, were passed. As measage received from the Governoom with their consent, were passed. As measage received from the Governoom with their consents, were passed. As measage received from the Governoom with their consents, were passed. As measage received from the Governoom with their consents were possible to the wild and the was according to the well done the well done the well done to the well done the well done to the well d

was then agreed to.

Mr. Cameron, of Wis., called up the petition of D. J. Corbin, claiming a seat as a Senator from South Carolina, presented by him some time ago and then laid on the table to be called up at some future time, and moved that it be refered to the Committee on Privileges and

not in office, and directing the Secretary to report to the Senate what amount or portion of this sum has since then been paid to the Government, what amount has been settled by compromise and what steps have been taken to collect the bal-ance. Ordered printed.

After a short executive session the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Mr. Patterson offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of War for information as to what steps had been taken to protect the residents of Colorado from an outbreak of the Ute Indians. Adopted.

Mr. Singleton, Chairman of the Committee on Printing, reported back the concurrent resolution for printing 300,000 copies of the report of the Commissioner of Agriculture. Passed.

Also the concurrent resolution for printing 5,000 copies of the report of the Forestry Commission.

Mr. Aiken moved to increase the number to 25,000, and the resolution as amended was passed.

l was passed. Mr. Wood reported a resolution

Mr. Conger-I believe it is the opinio

to be closed and a vote taken to morrow.

On motion of Mr. Williams, of Mich, the Senate amendment to the bill for the support of the government of the district of Lolumbia (changing the time for the completion of the assessment from July to August) was concurred in, Adourned. Sam. Tilden's Taxes—Points De-cided Against Him—The Case Likely to go to the Supreme

long, and cites innumerable authorities, the principal of which are the U. S. Sapreme Courts decisions in the Dollar Savings' Bank case and the Rhode Island case, Island desided by the to the first count in complaint on the ground that in the year covered by this count Mr. Tildee had made a return of his count art. Hoes man make return on the complaint income and paid agast on such return. On the other eleven counts in the complaint he sustains the plaintiffs, the United States, in their demurrer to the answer of the defence, holding virtually that the government was not bound by the action of the United States Assessor as its agent, and that "Like a second as the agent of the United States Assessor as its agent, and the United States Assessor as its agent. of the United States Assessor as its agent, and that Tilden was requirred to make himself a return of his income which he had not done. The case is now to proceed to trial by the jury on the question of the amount of income of Mr. Tilden during the years in which he made no return himself. In three years Mr. Tilden allows the United States Assessor to make the return and paid the tax on such return together with the penalty of fire percent, but this court holds that it was not sufficient as will be seen by the decision above. It is more than probable that Mr. Tilden's counsel will appeal the case to the United States Supreme Court.

Must Pay Interest on Their

NEW ORLEANS, March 26, -- Judge Mun coe, of the Third District Court, has ren